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Interview Summary	Application No.	Applicant(s)	
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Date of Interview: 05 February 2008.

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference
c) ☐ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.

If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: 1.

Identification of prior art discussed: Corazza (US 6,563,810 B1) and Gopalakrishnan et al. (US 6,859,446 B1).

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☒ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: See Continuation Sheet.

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Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: An agreement was not reached. The Applicant further explained the base station receives the power headroom report from a mobile station, not at the mobile station. Furthermore, no agreement was reached regarding a broadest reasonable interpretation of "power headroom". Examiner cited figure 1E, col. 8 lines 41-53 of Corazza and US 6,192,249 incorporated by reference, which discloses a base station demodulating a reverse link signal and generating a closed loop power control commands for the remote unit. The Examiner also cited figure 1 of Gopalakrishnan, which discloses a base station transmitting an available transmit power message to a receiver or mobile-telephone indicating an amount of available transmit power at some future time.

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